





PRINCETON  
History

· Litscher

· Joens

ALTAUCE

PRIES

Some

Clinton

· Russell families



"THOMAS Russell"

MR + MRS.

Raimheld's  
Photographic Studio

Cor. Fifth Ave. +  
Second St.

Clinton, Iowa

Farmers' Saving Bank  
asked me to  
clean out house  
+ have an estate  
sale. PM

Russ had 1 sister,  
Irma (no children) +  
she was in a nursing home.

These pix I found  
on Russell Litscher's  
estate + archived  
them.

1990's ? PM





*Gilbert Temple*  
CLAYTON, IOWA







Thomas Russell

FROM

*Mr. & Mrs. Raimheld's*  
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**Clinton, Iowa.**





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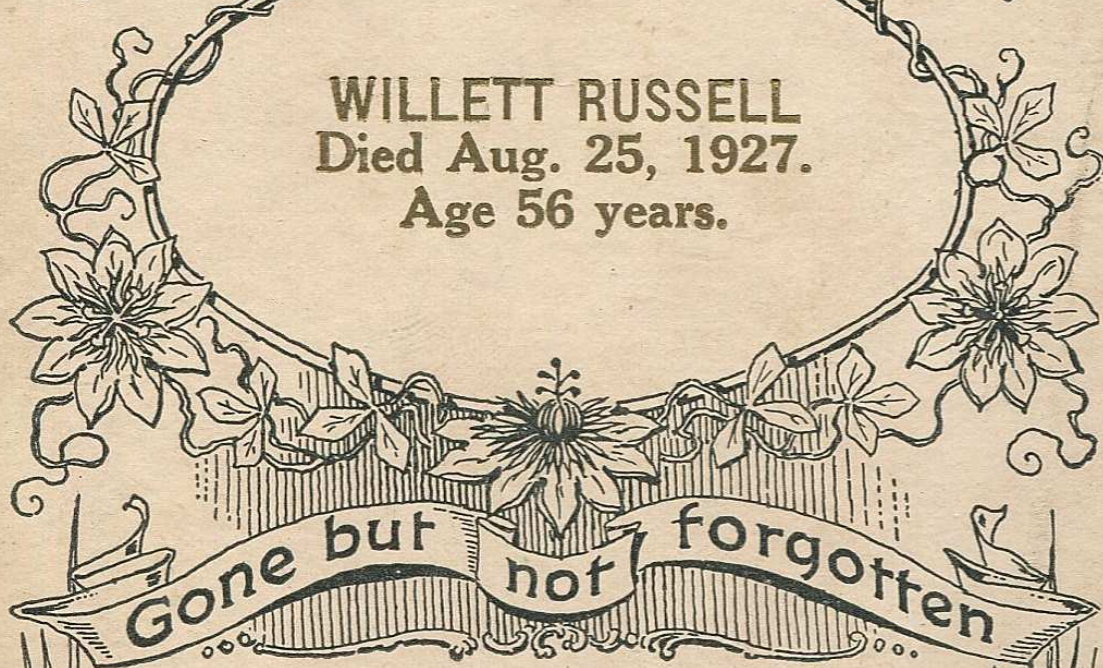


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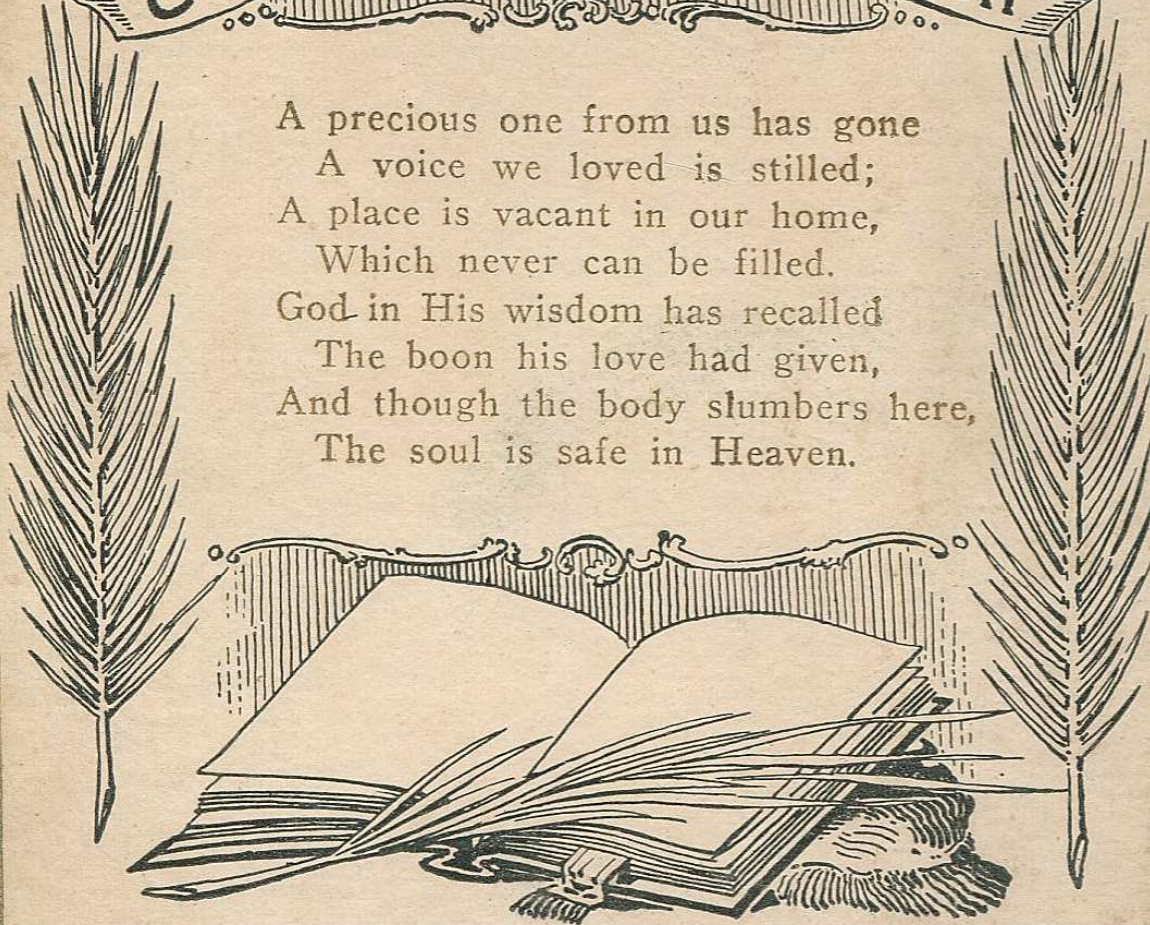




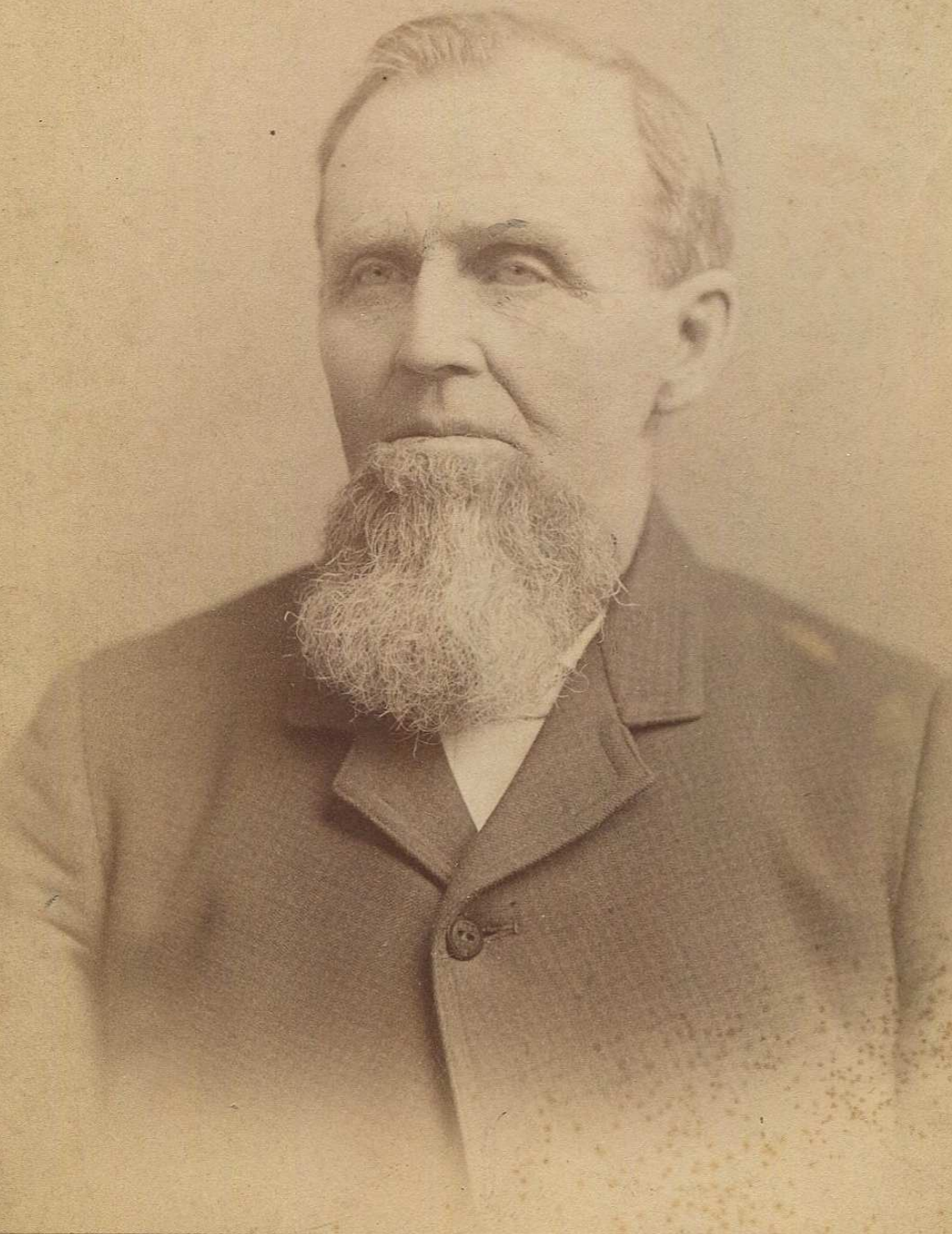
WILLETT RUSSELL  
Died Aug. 25, 1927.  
Age 56 years.



A precious one from us has gone  
A voice we loved is stilled;  
A place is vacant in our home,  
Which never can be filled.  
God in His wisdom has recalled  
The boon his love had given,  
And though the body slumbers here,  
The soul is safe in Heaven.







*Gilbert Temple*

CLINTON, IOWA.





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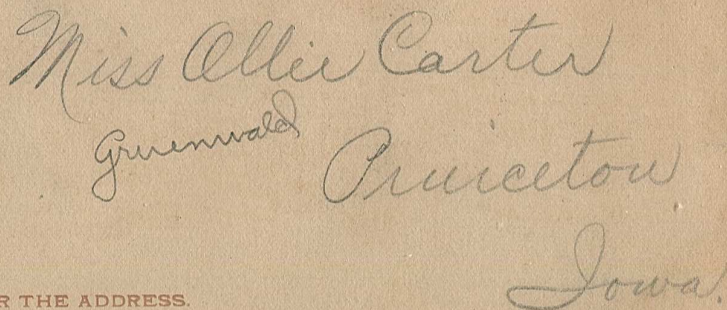


LILY POND, HUMBOLDT PARK, CHICAGO.



323 A Pleasant Occupation.

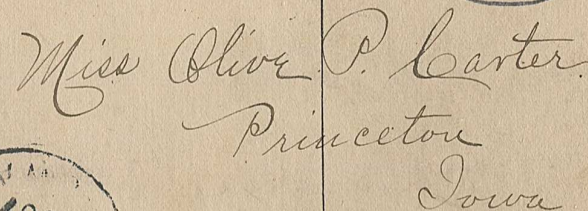




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Lisbon Mass. N.Y. 85*

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9 Hello there -  
How you was?  
am fine and dandy  
Yours  
J. J. Tange

George W. Badger  
Mr. Canfield  
Yours





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*Wm. E. Hovey*

*Miss Emma  
Russell*

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*From  
Ellie  
to Emma*

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*Willetta Russell  
from  
Herman*



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say do this look like you and John



**N**OW you are married you must obey,  
You must be true in all you say,  
You must be good, you must be kind,  
And make your Husband always mind.



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Princeton.  
Iowa.

R. R. no. 1. O. R. B. Carter.



Miss Pauline Lessine  
Miss Anna Russell  
Mr. W. H. Russell



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Cedar Rapids, Iowa  
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*To Maud  
from Sister  
Eva*

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*From  
Lessie.*

*Mrs. Emma Prescott,  
No. 2 East  
Eva*

210 Fifth Avenue.

Clinton, Iowa.







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OPPOSITE REVERE GATE  
CLINTON IOWA



STAFFORD  
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CHICAGO



WALLEYES FROM  
KLIMEK'S LODGE, BAUDETTE, MINN.

*Take of the Wood's up to 12th*



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Jenna Russell

CHICAGO  
COLLAGE STUDIO

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NAME AND ADDRESS

24. Oct  
Dear Pauline  
I live Chicago  
27th will live  
De with 31, th for  
Davenport, hope  
you will be to  
the Train to meet me  
wldit have Mathilda

Mrs P. Wallace  
Spalding apt  
Moline  
Ill

CHICAGO  
EAST FULLERTON VAE  
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R. S. Murray  
Last Nations  
Iowa.

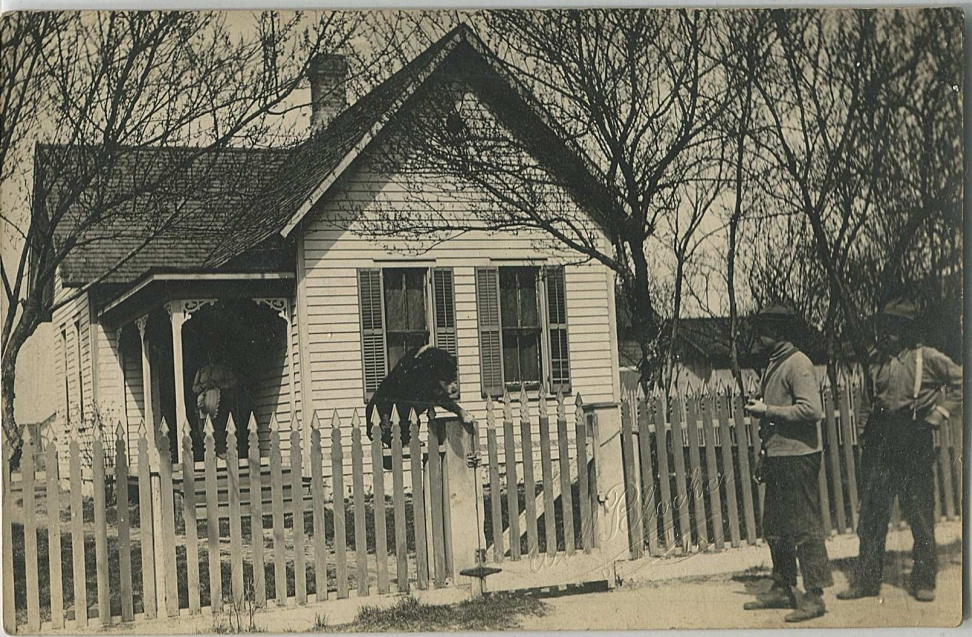
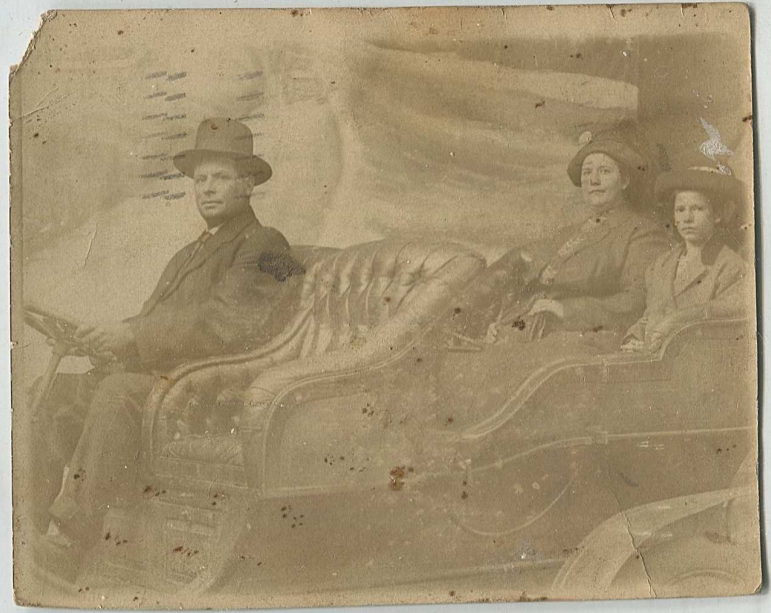
Dear Stella  
I am quite well and  
want to be home with  
you. The climate here  
is fine, also a good change  
you enjoy it. I am  
of only descriptive, I am  
better you & wish and  
will be in good to get back  
at work you can and we  
glad to hear from you &



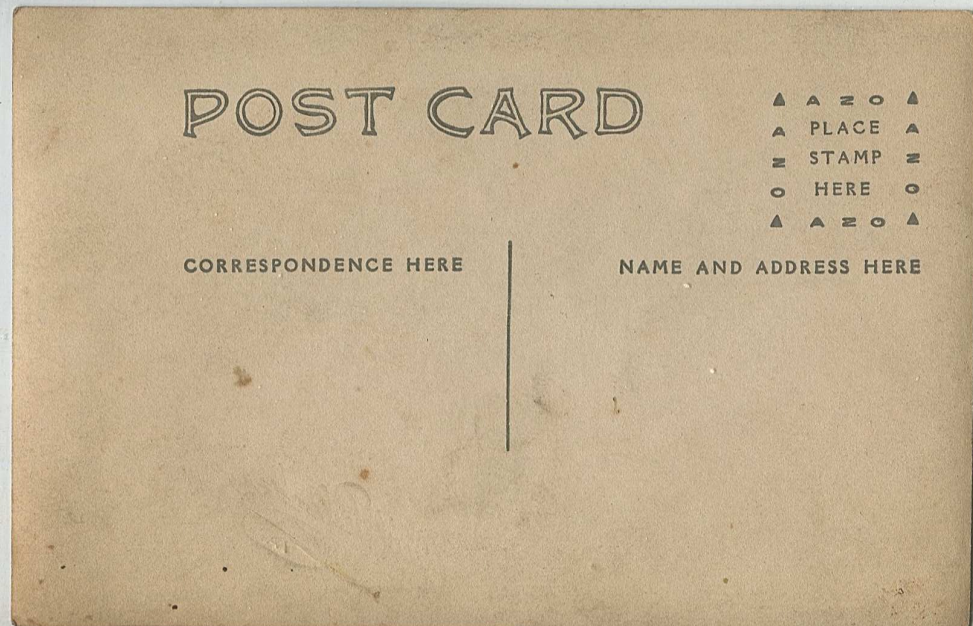
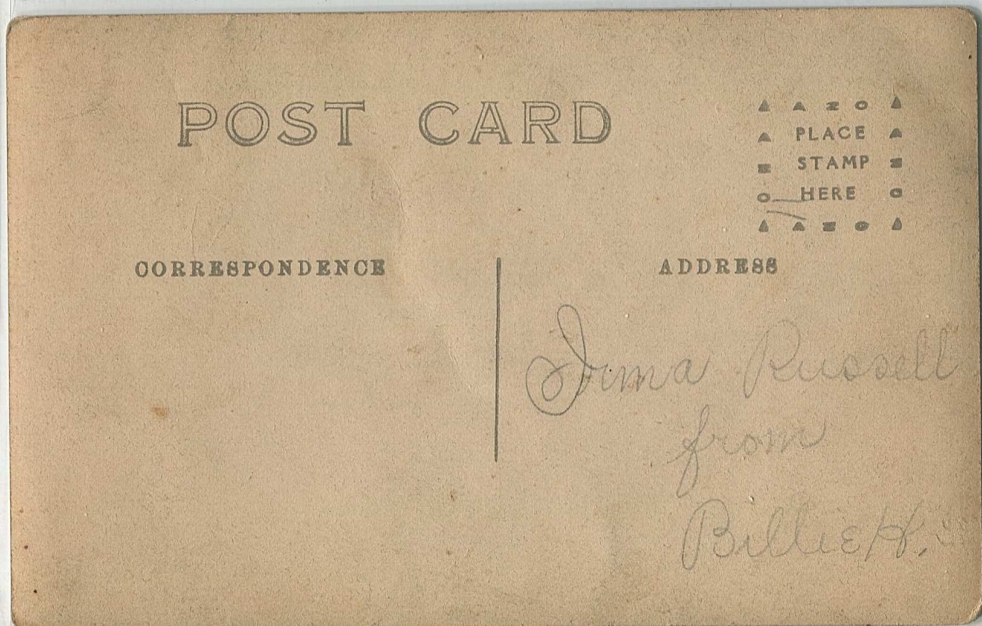
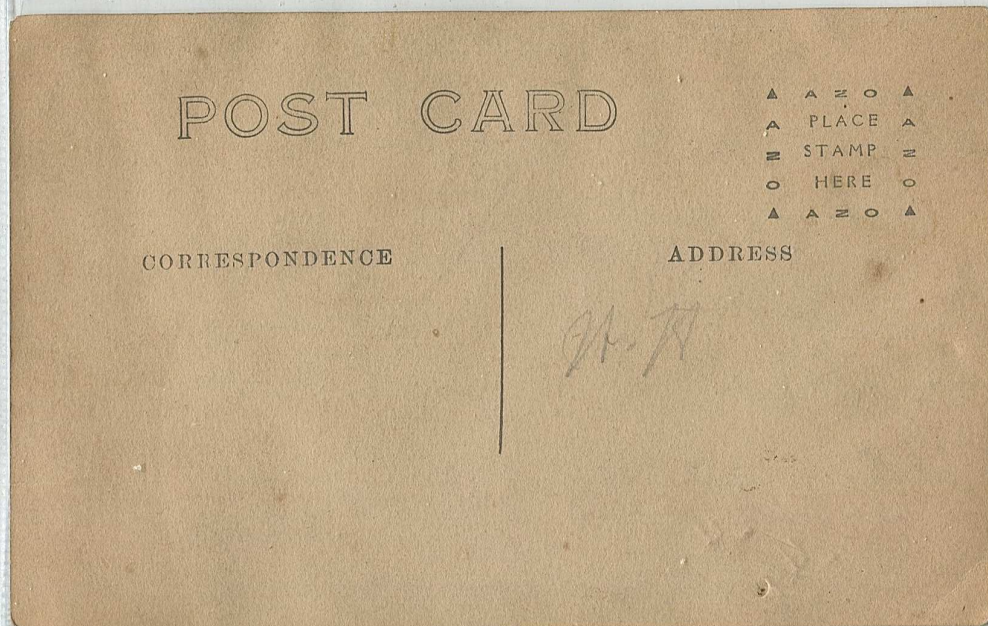
Mrs Mrs Byron Hudson  
McCausland Iowa



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GLOSS  
TONE

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FOR CORRESPONDENCE

Dear Bernie, Mum  
Arrived RR  
Have not started  
equipment to work  
as far. 544 Miles  
from camp to Ellis Spring  
Did not get away  
from camp until  
5:00 A.M. Were waiting  
for me at Tonto  
then

MFD. BY FORT WAYNE PRINTING CO., FORT WAYNE, IND.

Mr. Mrs. Byron Hudson  
McCasland  
Long



# POST CARD

CORRESPONDENCE

ADDRESS

Hello Bernie well  
how are you I am  
still alive & I hope  
you too I think we'll  
leave here for home  
Thurs or Fri and no just  
when yet so good by  
I am talking a lot of  
Harris RR from Hildas

Mrs. Hans Jones  
Syons  
RR 3 Iowa  
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Hello Bernie well  
how are you we are  
fine got hear all  
wright well that  
all there so long  
from Hildas &  
all



Mrs. Hans Jones  
Syons  
RR 3 Iowa

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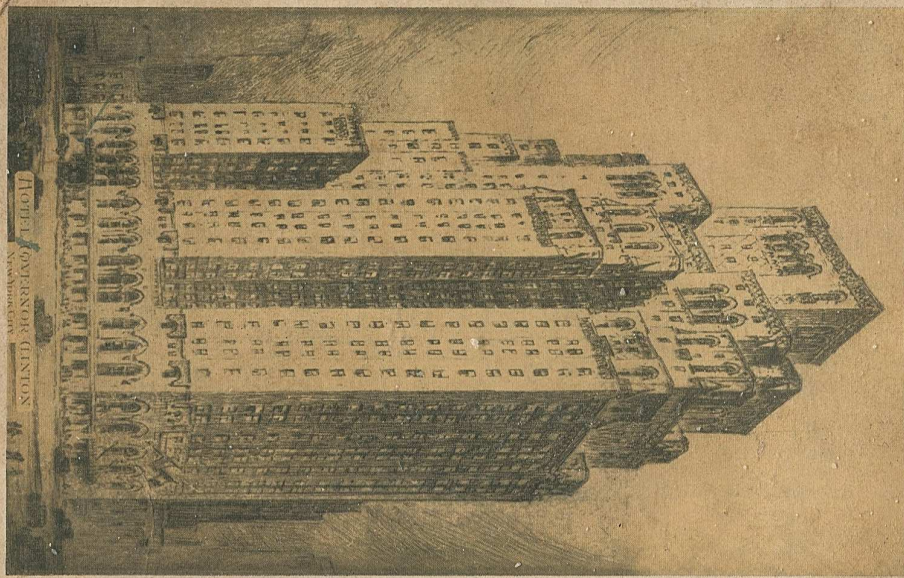
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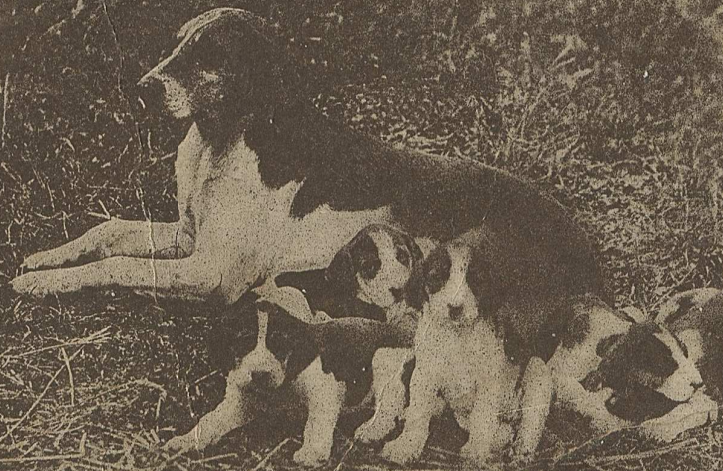




AEROPLANE VIEW OF IOWA CITY, IOWA, AND UNIVERSITY OF IOWA.



All are well





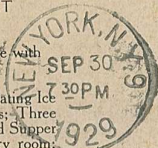
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you for your kind  
a fine trip  
Edith*

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*Iowa City. Fr  
This is how it  
when I am up  
in my workshop  
don't like it out  
here too many  
nurses given I  
will come back home  
pretty soon*

*Dinner*

*Mr Hans Jones  
Lynn Ia  
RR 4*

POST CARD

CORRESPONDENCE HERE

*Dear Laura  
from  
Edith.*

NAME AND ADDRESS HERE

*Mrs P. Petersen  
431 W  
Ia*

POST CARD

FOR CORRESPONDENCE

FOR ADDRESS



*May 15 - 12  
Dear Irma  
How is my little  
doll did you get to  
Clinton all right I  
am hailing lumber.  
Every thing is lovely.  
going to start to build a day  
W.H.R.*

*Miss Irma Russell  
431. 6th ave  
Clinton  
Iowa*







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Well Irma  
I am so glad  
all the world  
you get over  
the Sunday  
good night  
and soon



Mr. & Mrs. Russell  
McCausland  
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Truly  
Irma

Mr. & Mrs. Russell  
McCausland  
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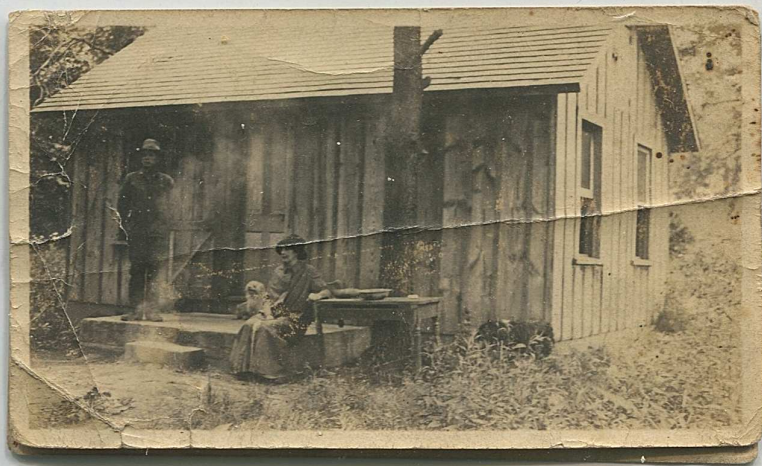
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Mrs William Howe











June Litscher

















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Maths + Ned Breyer.













George, + Hans Doens?











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JOHN LITSCHER

JUNE LITSCHER

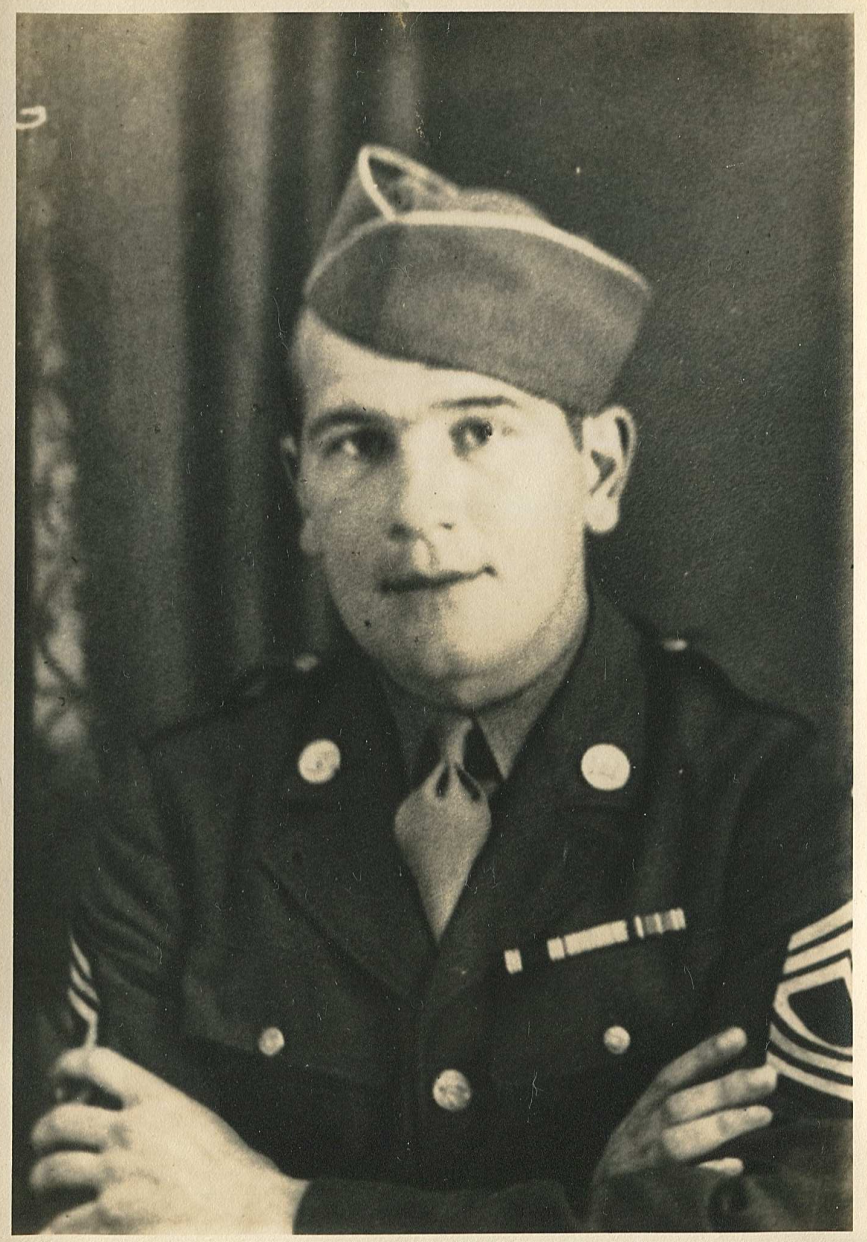


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To Thank You



SINCERE "THANKS"  
for your good wishes  
and  
thoughtful gift.

Alyde & Lorraine



*Renaissance*  
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JAE, RUSS,

Leo

Litschen

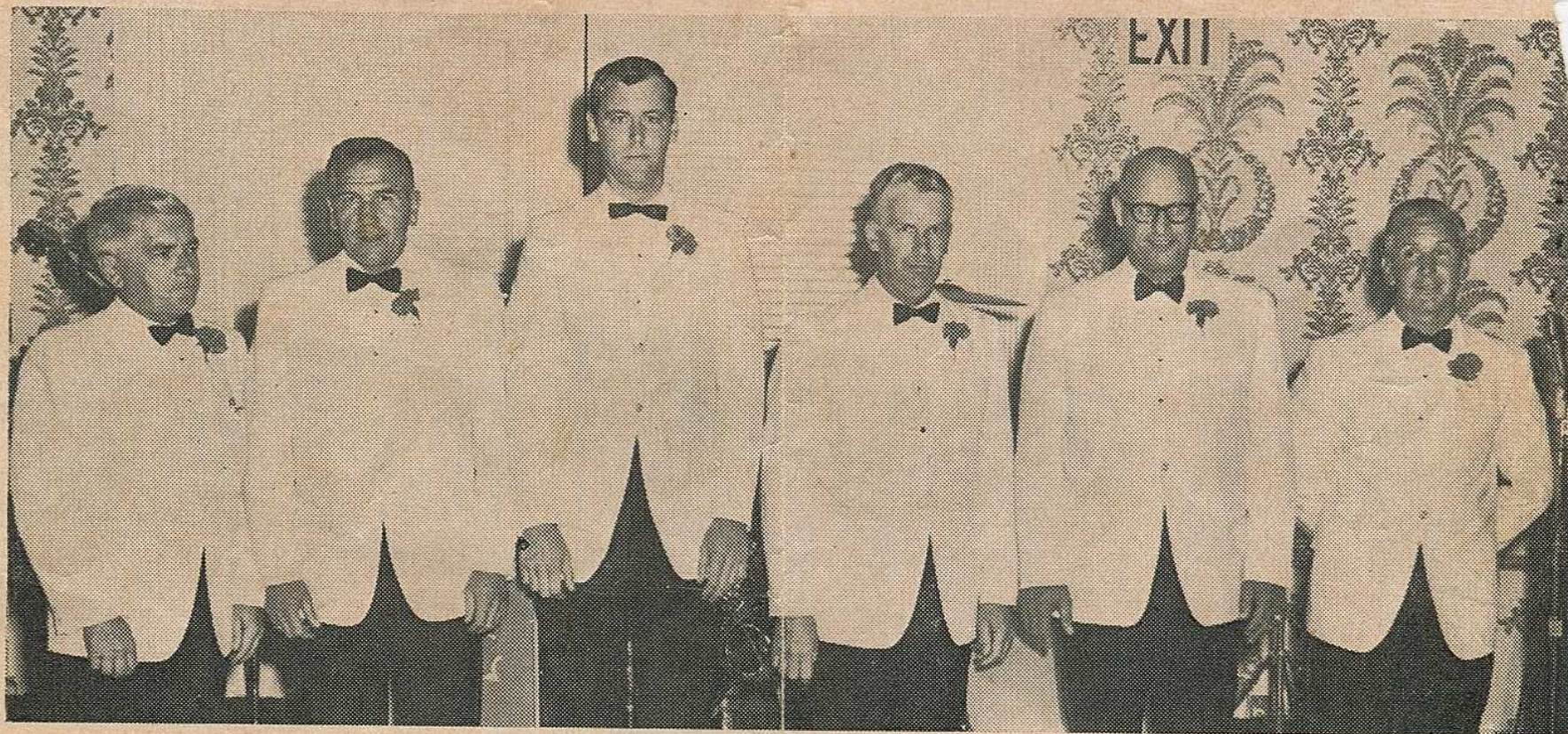


I had heard  
that Russ's  
wife + only  
child died in  
a car crash in  
California?

No details?

PM





**LEADERS** of the Equipment Maintenance Supervisors Association for the coming year are, left to right: Hank Roth, general secretary; Rusty Litscher, treasurer; Mark Mitchell, secretary; Leon Piercy, second vice president; Ralph Currier, first vice president, and Glenn Gaston, president. The announcement of new officers was made at the recent dinner dance held at the Marina Inn. The E.M.S.A. now has four chapters in California.



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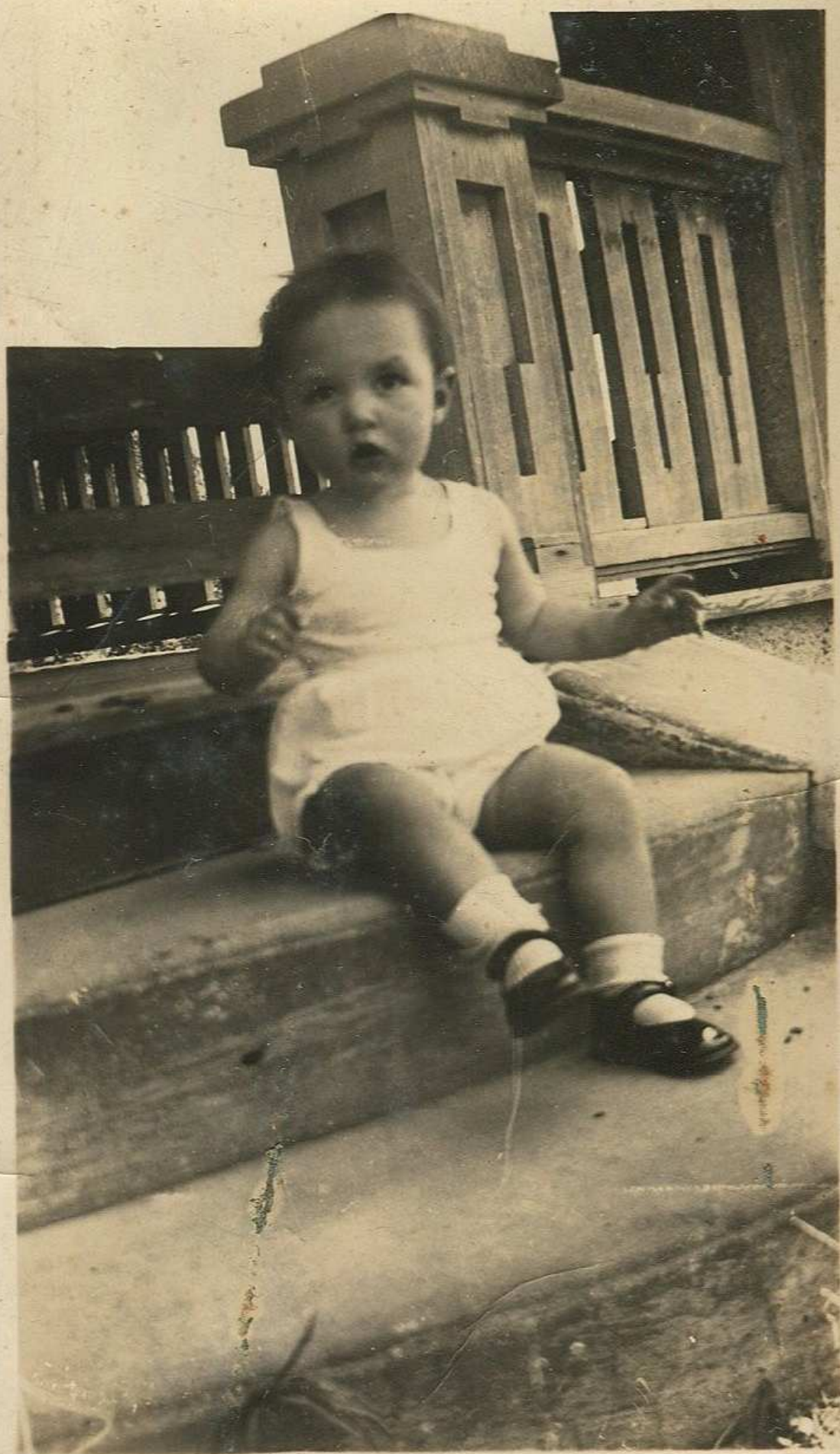


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POLAROID

THIS IS OLD DADS  
WORK WAGON  
PURCHASED IN DEC  
NOW HAS 23,000 MILES  
ON IT, TOO SEE &  
DON'T SIT AROUND VERY  
MUCH, PLUS THE WORK I  
HAVE TO DO.







Miss Anna Lischer

7 Miss Eliza Jane Lisch

Mrs John Lischer

Mr John Lischer

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Miss Clara Pearl Litcher  
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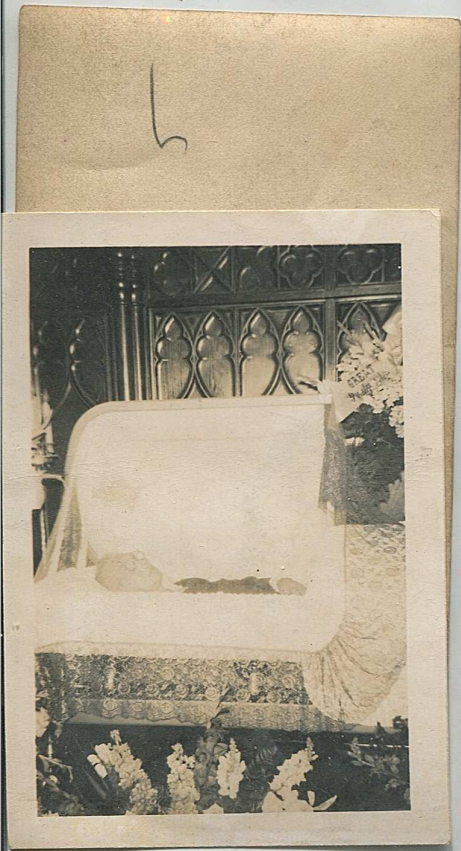
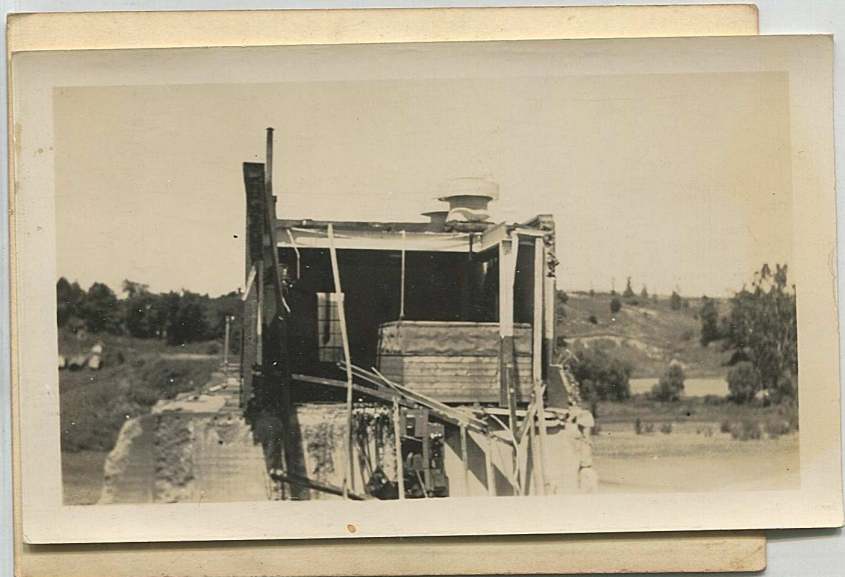


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not very good today







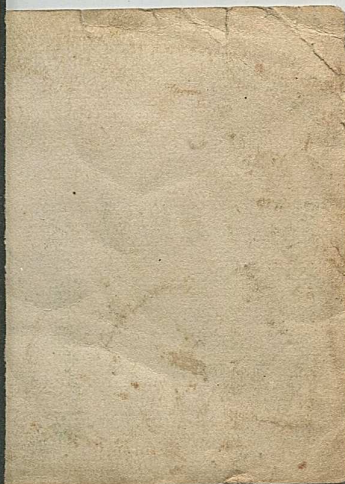
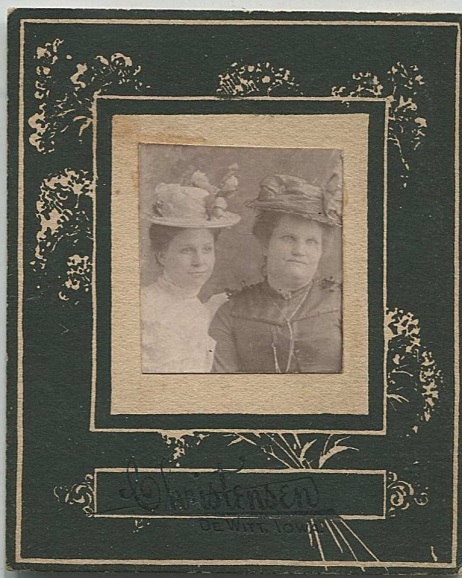




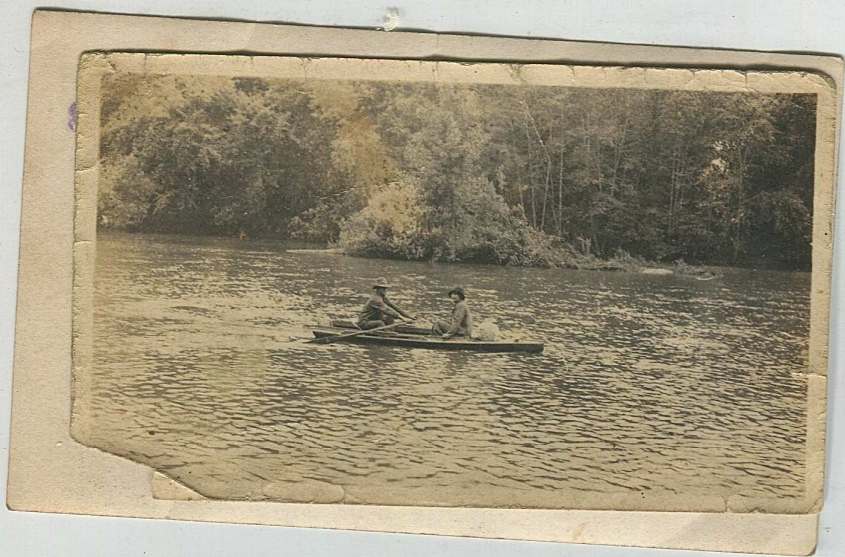
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Forwards home  
where we live





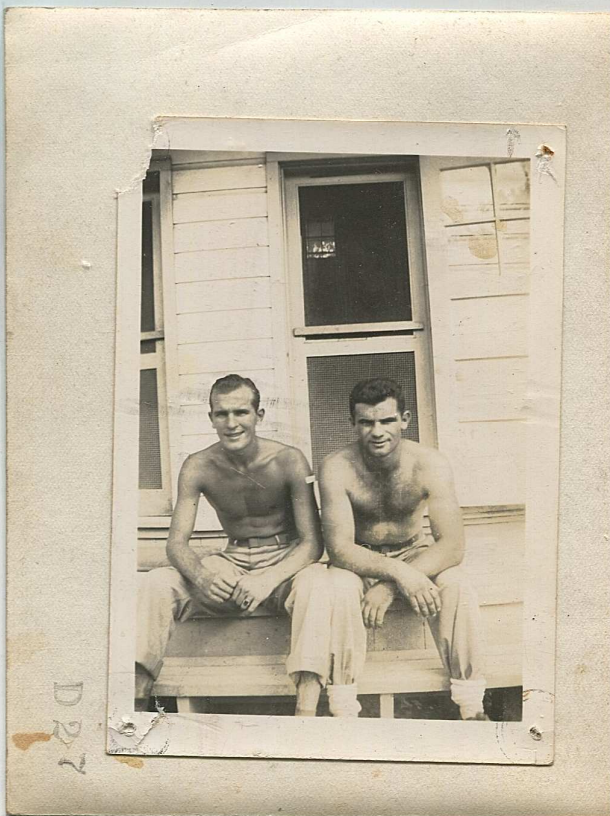
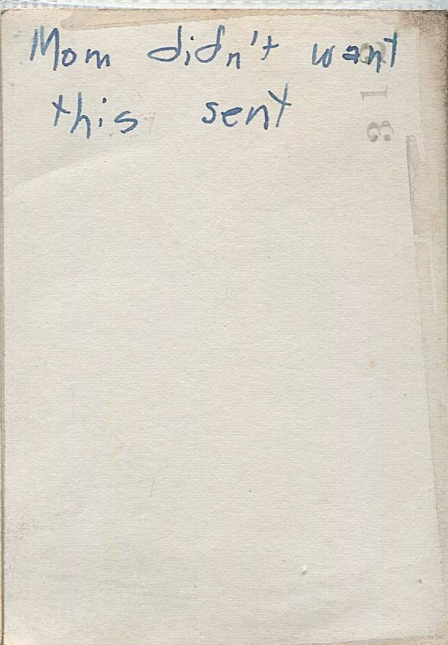
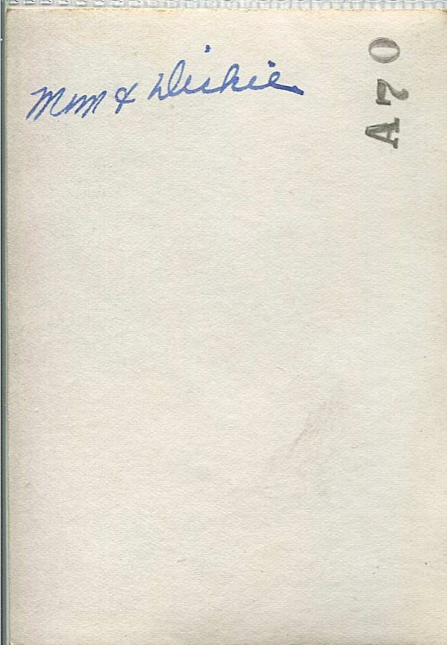
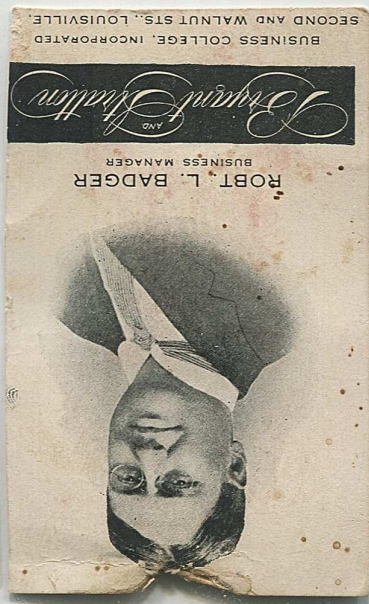
















THE STAR-SPANGLED BANNER  
Francis Scott Key

O say, can you see, by the dawn's  
early light,  
What so proudly we hailed at the  
twilight's last gleaming?  
Whose broad stripes and bright stars,  
through the perilous fight  
O'er the ramparts we watched,  
were so gallantly streaming!  
And the rockets' red glare, the bombs  
bursting in air,  
Gave proof through the night that our  
flag was still there.  
O say does that Star-Spangled  
Banner yet wave  
O'er the land of the free and the  
home of the brave?

















HEY MAN THIS  
IS REALLY LIVING:

HEY PAP, SEE WHAT  
I MEAN, NO HAIR.

KRAUT HEAD

MAN IT SURE IS HOT  
OUT HERE!!

HEY GRANDPA CHECK  
THE SIZE OF THAT  
ARM, 15 MONTHS.

DRINKS BEER JUST LIKE  
HIS GRANDMA. HA.



6 mos. old



25A







MAR



JUN

58



JUL

63









I look like an  
old sour puss  
here. I happened  
to be in a bad  
mood when  
this was taken.

Say it looks like  
stable but hell  
it can't be a - 8?  
yaller Boy it is  
they sure as hell  
have the wrong  
man in the army  
look kid?

















Roma & Willis Parrish  
in front of our Cabin  
1902 N. 4<sup>th</sup> St. Coeur d'Alene  
Idaho. Camp Joy.

Taken April 21 - 1944,

To  
Irma & Johnnie

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Yours Truly - with  
a little bit of that  
excess, I'll have to  
reduce - heh heh.



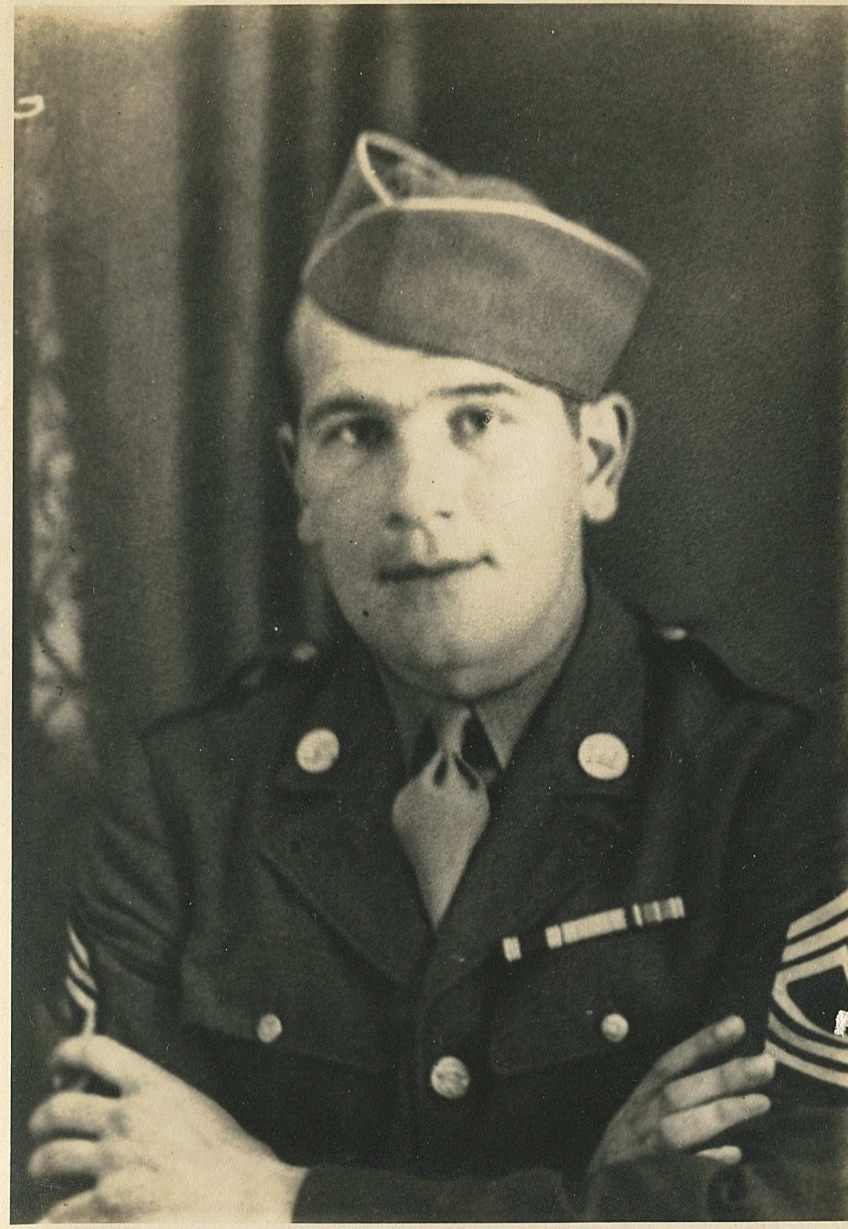




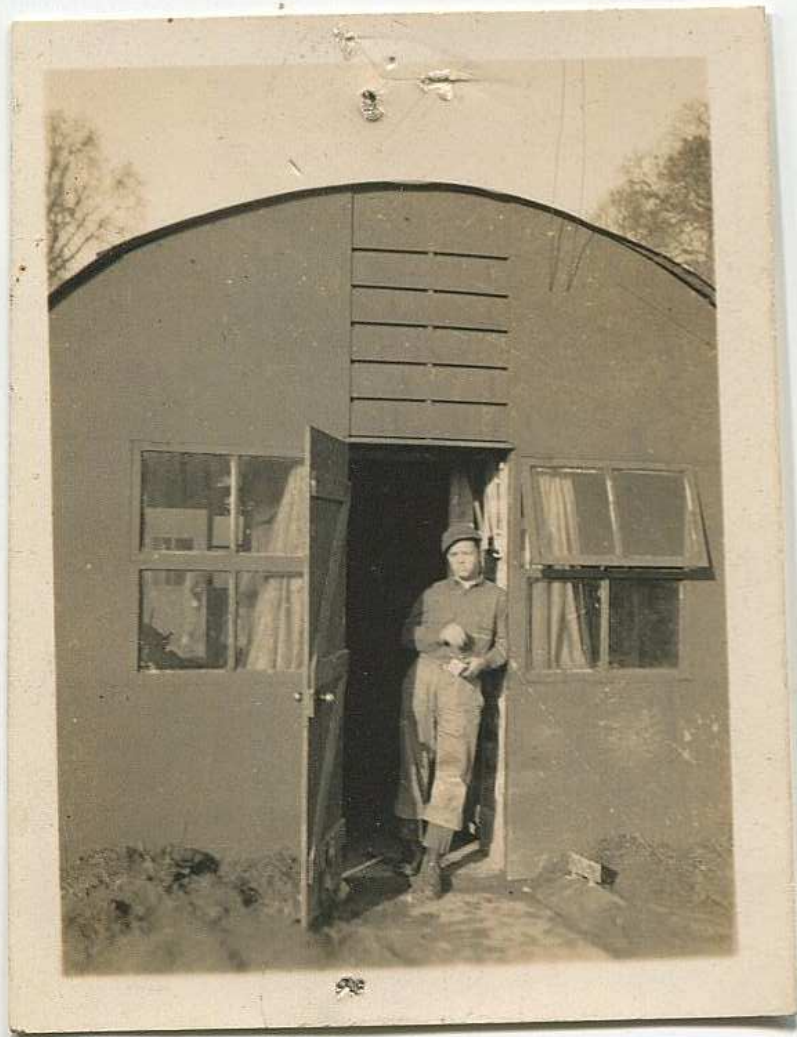


Here he is Russ,  
some future  
base ball player. eh?









**Visiting Advisor**  
WITH THE AMERICAN  
FORCES IN FRANCE — Master  
Sgt. Russell J. Litscher, son of Mr.  
and Mrs John Litscher, Princeton,  
is now a visiting advisor in the  
operation and maintenance of  
tractors and heavy earth moving  
equipment throughout this area.  
Member of the Engineer Machine  
Training Detachment, a unit of  
specialized heavy equipment ex-  
perts, he has traveled thousands  
of miles to units engaged in con-  
struction work, showing them  
how to increase their output and  
hasten the erection of airfields,  
depots, roads, docks and railways.  
Master Sgt. Litscher has re-  
ceived commendations from high  
ranking officers for the aid he had  
given their units. Before enter-  
ing the service three years ago  
he was an equipment operator at  
the Charleston, Indiana powder  
plant of the DuPont Corporation.



## HOTEL SMITH

ROOMS WITH OR WITHOUT BATH

C. C. CANNON, MGR.

TELEPHONE R-5881

Roanoke Rapids, N. C.

12 June 1945

Richmond Va.

1301 Decatur St.

Dear Litch:

By golly buddy, I sure hope this one will be delivered to you at your home. But from all I can gather, you are still over there. 85 Points are a hell of a lot of Points Bud, but of course no one knows it better than you fellows. Sure I hope you miss the Pacific route but as long as that fuckin' "Combat Wilson" is with you I don't suppose there is much chance. Litch, I have been home a week now and I'll tell you, it was the fastest week I've ever seen. Haven't had time to do any writing at all. No, I'm not discharged. I'm on a 21 day furlough. Have to go back to the hospital in Pa. (near Pittsburgh) for 3 months. They gave me hell for not going to the hospital sooner. But we were damn OK till ole Lard ass took over. I'll let you hear from me as soon as I go back up there and you write to me at my home address and they will forward it to me. I have boxed up a quart of hoatch (Seagrams 5) and will put it in the mail tomorrow with this letter. Hope you get it OK. But I've got my doubts. — How are all the boys? Give them my regards and tell them I'm homesick as



hell. Had a letter from Ray and he said that  
he and Russ may come back in the outfit. I  
surely hope he can make it. And Russ too.  
How is Richey making out? Guess old Primo  
is still on the "stick". And of course old Gran  
Pop Lavell is doing pretty much as he dam well  
pleases I guess. Wonder if John is getting any  
snatch now. If any is within 20 miles of him  
he can sure as hell smell it out. Is Joe still  
getting his "Spam-yummy" from home? Tell  
Carl I'm still waiting for his dad's address  
and for him not to be in too big a hurry about  
getting back to that "hog meat" 'cause there  
aint a fockin' bit to be had. Hope Hanness is  
back in good shape now after the accident he  
had. By the way, I got that letter you forwarded  
to me. Thanks a million Pal. Guess Hamilton,  
Frazier, Dougherty, Elliott and Hogan are still on  
the Ball are they. They should be well up on the Point  
though. - Well Litch, I'm gonna sign off for now  
but will drop you a line soon as I get back to the  
Hospital. Tell Carl I'll drop him a line soon. Let  
me hear from you and above all, don't forget that  
visit. —

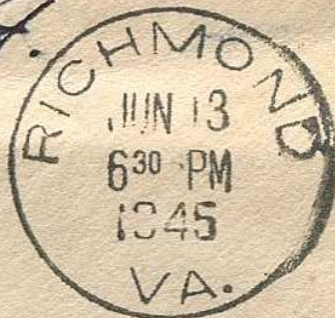
Goodbye for now and  
Good Luck to you and all  
the Boys

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my Budden Little Bill





I'll follow walking beside  
I'll wait alone <sup>me</sup>

Because to tell you  
the truth I'll be lonely  
I don't mind being  
lonely. When my heart  
tells me you, are  
lonely too.

I'll walk alone because  
to tell you the truth  
I'd rather there are  
dreams I must gather  
dreams in fashions  
the night of hell you  
light.

Please walk alone  
and send your love  
to your kisses to guide  
me







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Beth and Darlene Stewart  
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to  
GRANDMA



on  
MOTHER'S  
DAY





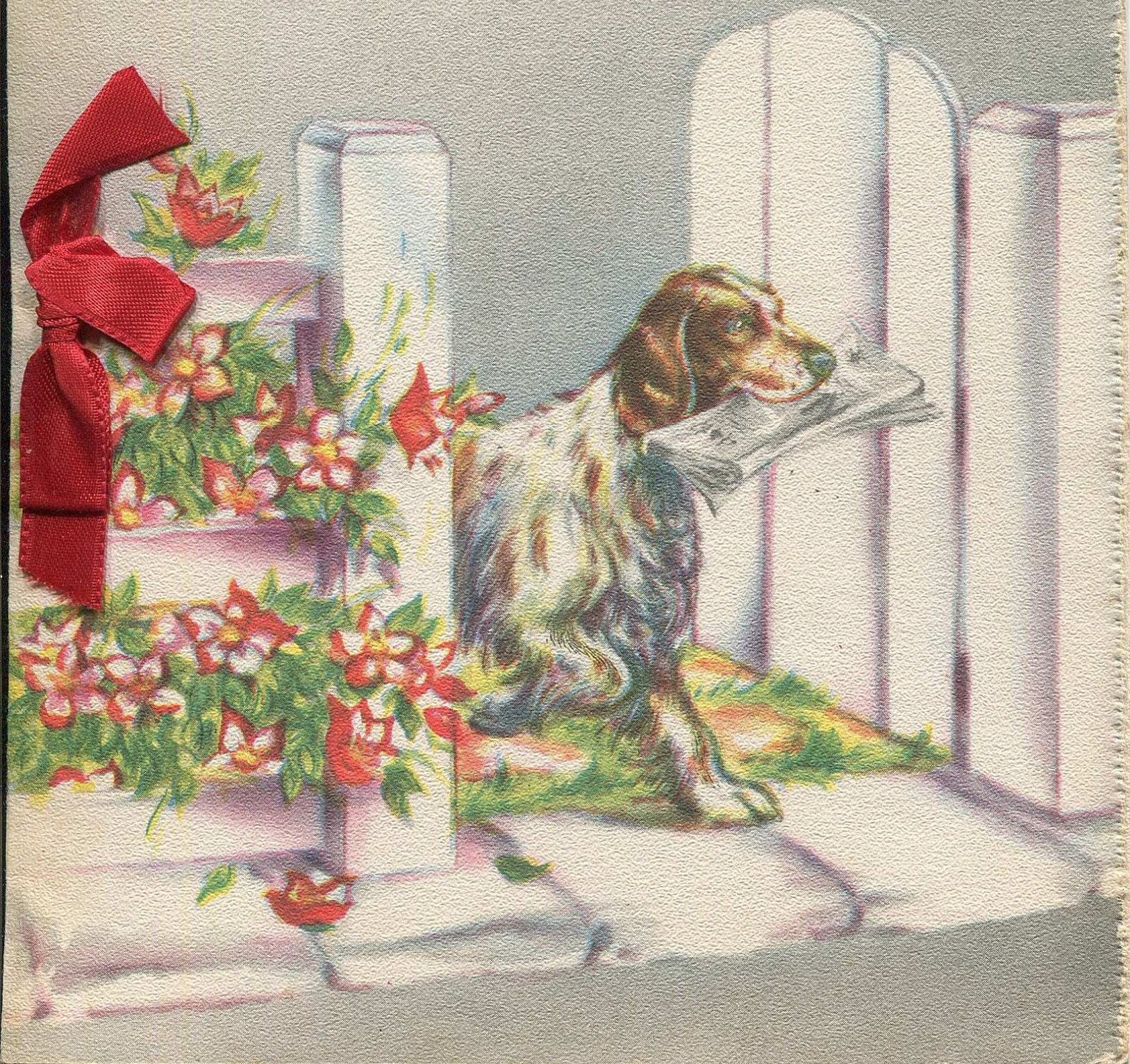
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that you must know  
I love you, Grandma Dear,  
And this little card  
will prove it  
By what I've written here—

I LOVE YOU, GRANDMA

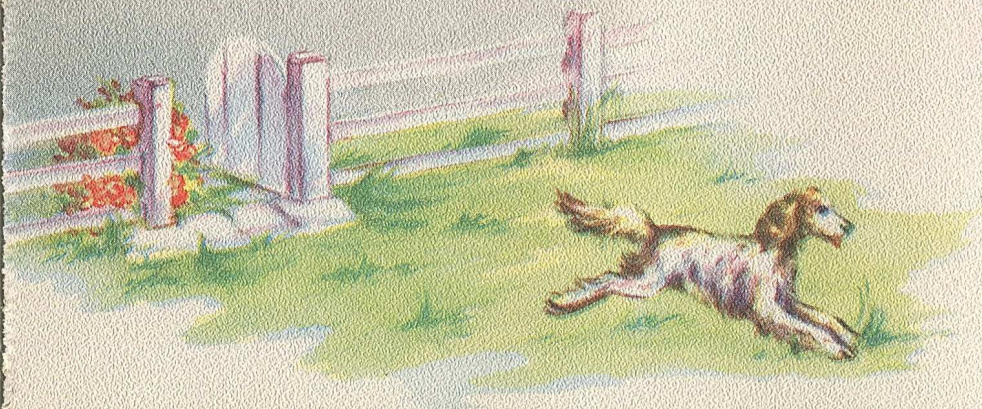
*Myrna June.*



To My Dad







Now 'most ANYONE can plainly tell  
That my DAD'S a guy  
who's plenty swell  
But it takes a KID of his — like ME  
To know HOW swell  
he can REALLY be!  
HAPPY FATHER'S DAY

Bob & June



"You're a Swell Guy,  
**DAD!**"



You read about the '**BIG GUYS**'  
And all they say and do .....

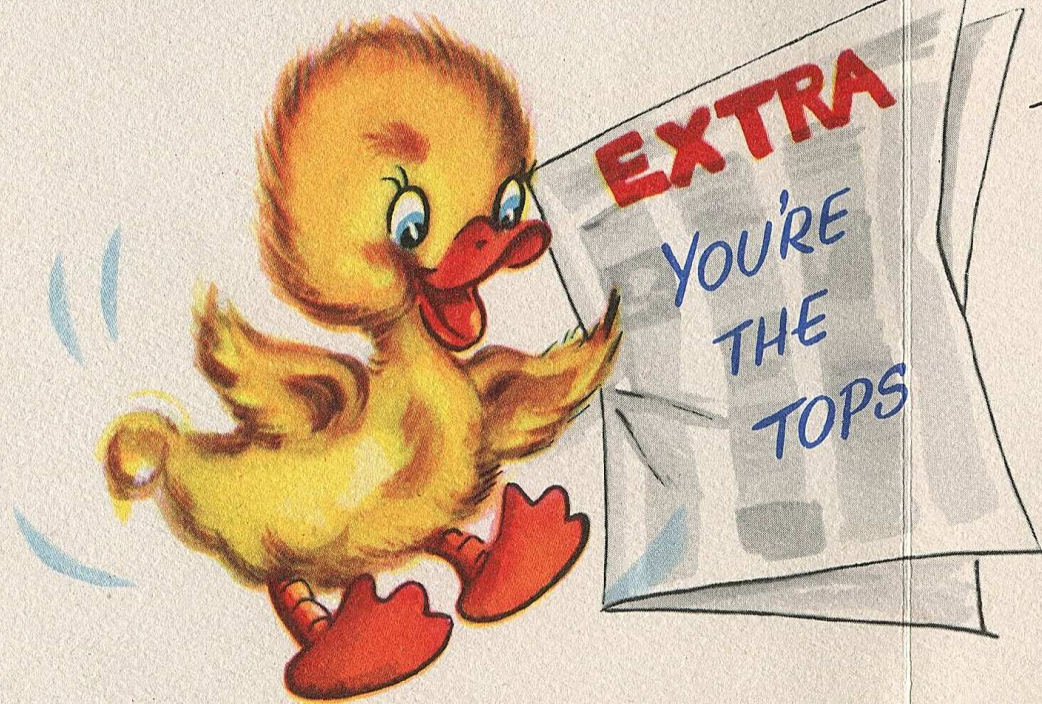


But, believe me, **DAD** ~~Poppy~~

Not **ONE** of them

Half comes up

to **YOU** /



Love M. Yuna.



Pa's last letter to  
June

From

Pa to

June.

Always keep this



Miss June

My little sweet  
Girl I was over to  
town am sorry I  
couldnt stay and  
see you. I am lone-  
some to see you.

Will try and get you  
pretty soon. I left  
a dñice for you and  
Puss. To bad you  
got pushed down  
stairs. Well love  
good by - with kisses  
and lots of them

Yours with love  
Willitt



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## Memorial Obituary

Entered Into Eternal Rest  
Saturday, Oct. 25, 1975

### CLINTON

#### HANS H. JOENS

Hans H. Joens, 86, of 722 Main Ave., died Saturday at Mercy Hospital.

The funeral will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Shadduck-Cannon Funeral Home with the Rev. Stanley Peterson of Zion Lutheran Church officiating. Burial will be in Oakland Cemetery.

Friends may call after 2 p.m. today at the funeral home. Pallbearers will be Fay Anderson, Clifford and Raymond Eggers, William and Peter Gradert, and Elmer Schoel.

He was born in Clinton County on March 19, 1889, the son of Peter and Hanna Peters Joens. He was married to Carrie Stolk, who died in 1951. He married June Litscher on Feb. 20, 1957.

He farmed all his life, and moved to Clinton following his retirement in 1948. He was a member of Zion Lutheran Church and the Loyal Order of the Moose.

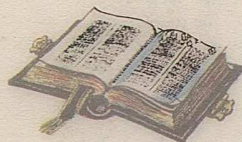
Surviving are his widow; a son, Ralph, Clinton; and one grandchild.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, four brothers, and five sisters.



They are not lost who find  
the light of sun and stars and God.

## Rest In Peace



*The Lord is my shepherd:  
I shall not want. He maketh  
me to lie down in green pas-  
tures: he leadeth me beside the  
still waters. He restoreth my  
soul: he leadeth me in the  
paths of righteousness for his  
name's sake. Yea, though I  
walk through the valley of  
the shadow of death, I will  
fear no evil: for thou art  
with me; thy rod and thy  
staff they comfort me. Thou  
preparest a table before me  
in the presence of mine  
enemies: Thou anointest my  
head with oil; my cup runneth  
over. Surely goodness and  
mercy shall follow me all  
the days of my life: and I  
shall dwell in the house  
of the Lord for ever.*

Twenty-Third Psalm



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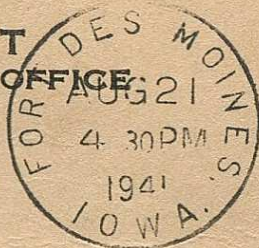
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AUGUST 21, 1941

(Date)

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(Name)

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(Army Serial No., if accepted)

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(Name and Army Serial No.)

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**Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.**

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Luncheon this fall.



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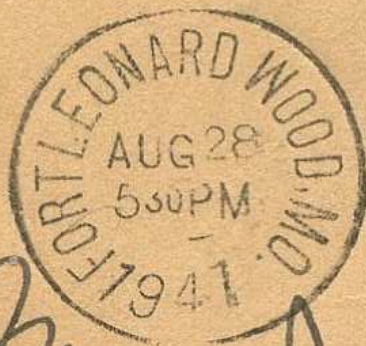
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Date

To: Mrs John Litchee  
Griceboro Iowa

Request that all mail for the undersigned be addressed as shown below effective at once.

Thank You.

Pvt R. J. LITSCHEER  
Name

Company A, 29<sup>th</sup> Battalion

Engineer Replacement Center

Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.









Hope this Birthday's  
very happy

Hope the sun  
is shining bright

And, Grandma, hope it's fun for You  
From morning  
until night!

LOVE AND KISSES FROM

Leo





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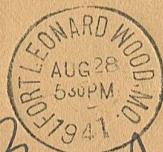
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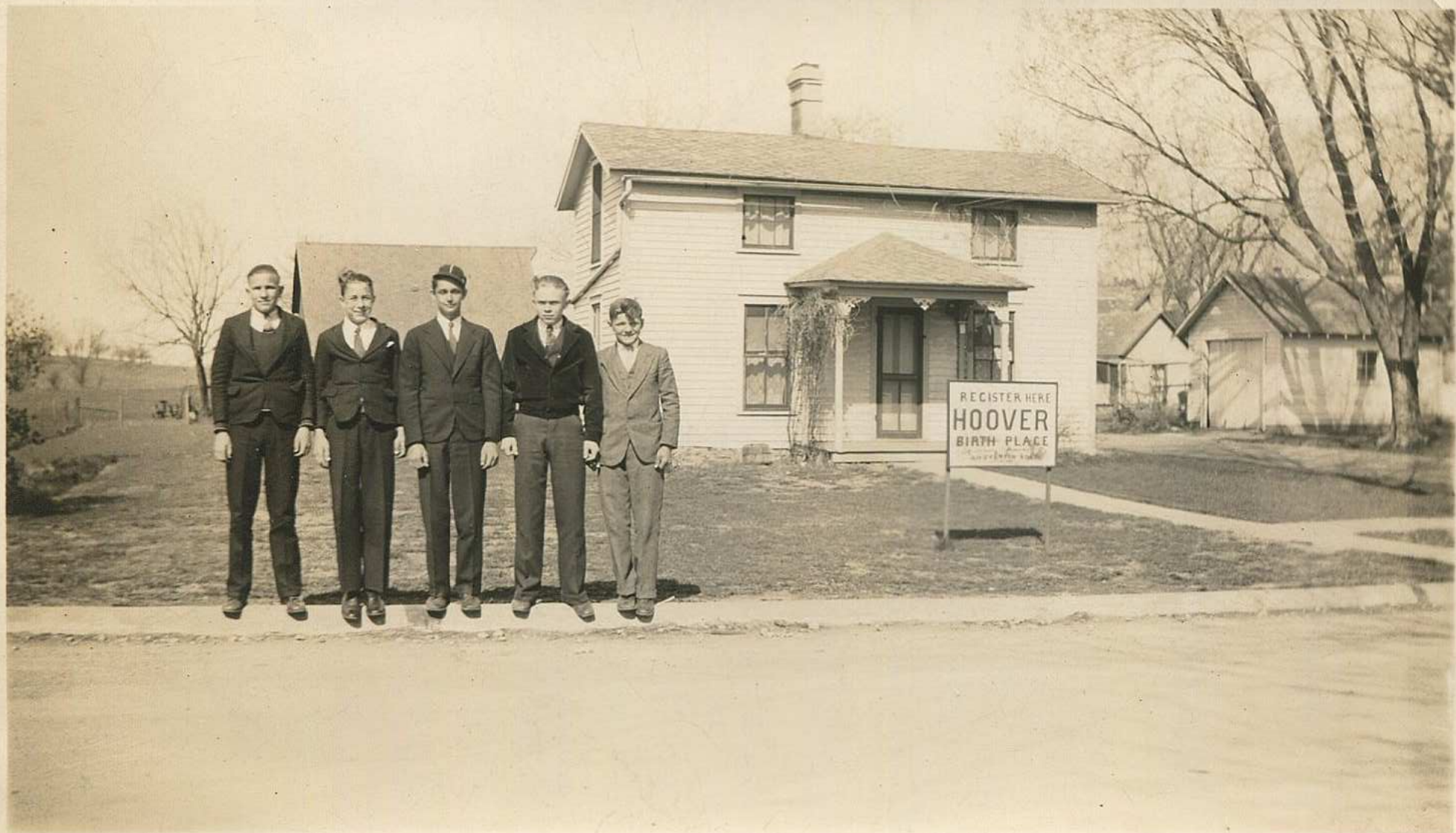




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Lickie is going  
to have red hair

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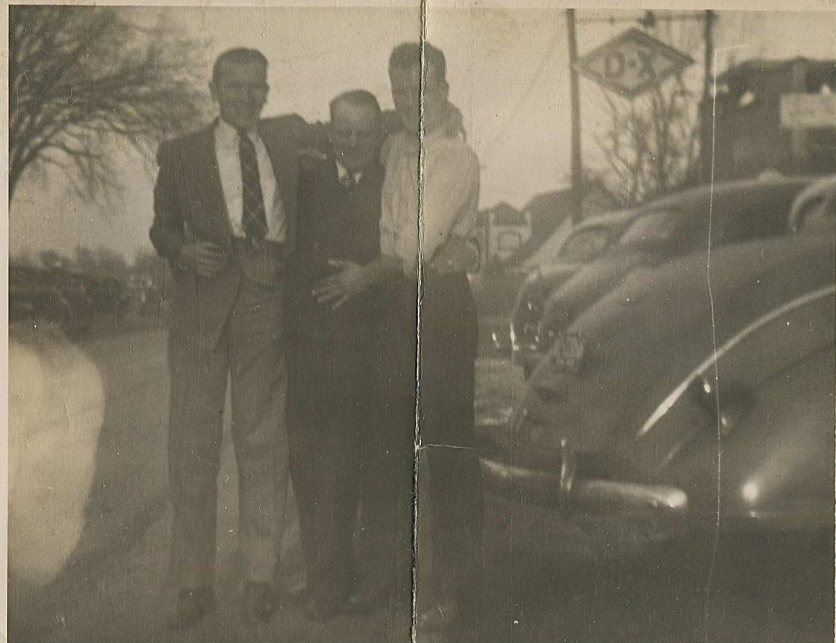


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Bs. Bud & Dickie  
 Dickie is going  
 to have red hair

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Merry Christmas

The Litchers





# Litschers

## Note 50th

## Anniversary



The Litschers, today, as they note their golden wedding anniversary with an open house next Sunday.



Mr. and Mrs. John Litscher on their wedding day.

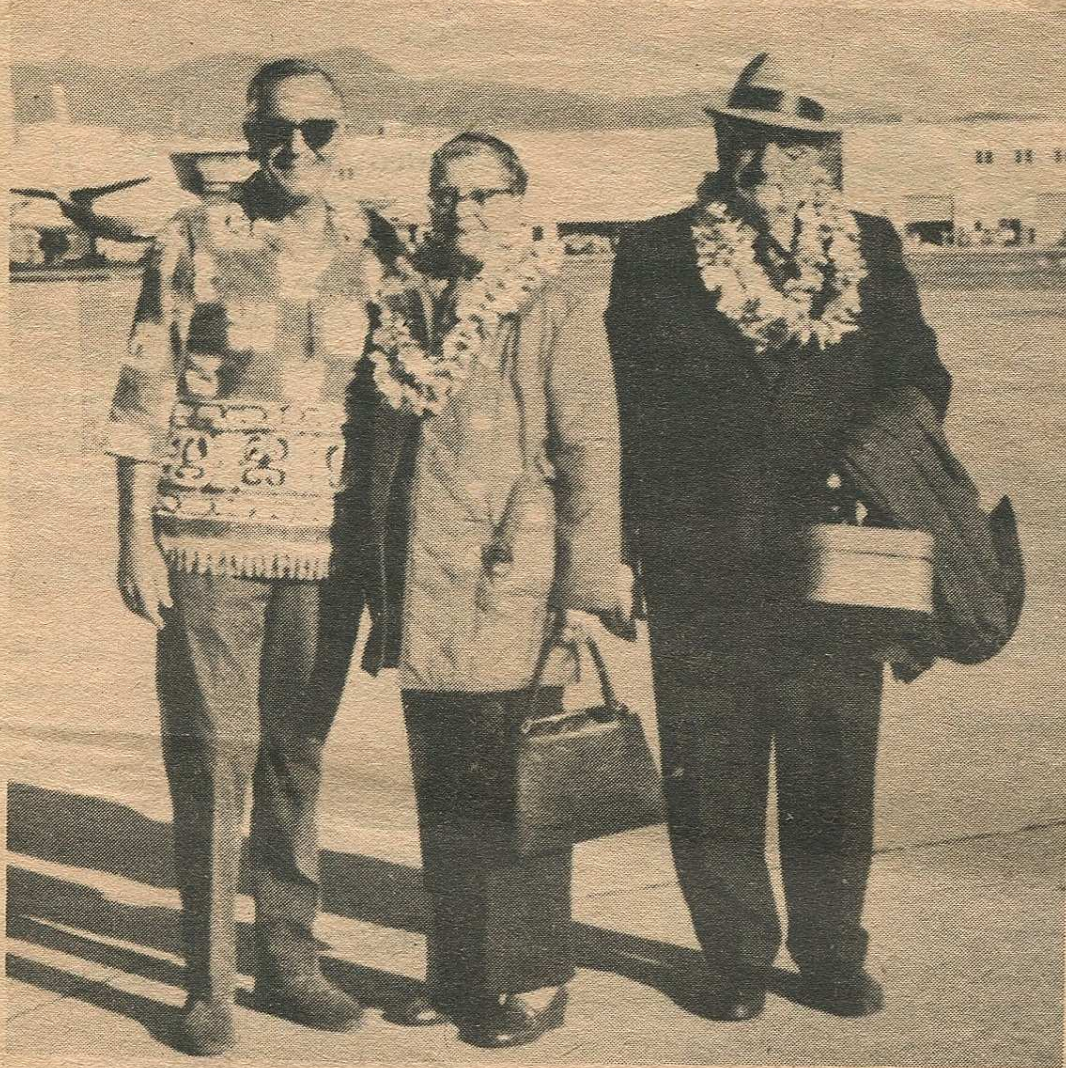
Mr. and Mrs. John Litscher, Princeton, Iowa, will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary, Sunday Oct. 30, with an open house from 2-6 p.m., at Kernan's Supper Club, Princeton. A family dinner will also honor the couple.

Miss Irma Russell and Mr. Litscher were married Oct. 30, 1916, in the parsonage of St. John's Methodist Church, Davenport.

The couple farmed in the McCausland area. Mr. Litscher was with the Scott County Engineers, Davenport, for 30 years, retiring five years ago. Mrs. Litscher is a past Noble Grand of Echo-Rebekah Lodge.

Their children are Russell John, Lynwood, Calif.; and Mrs. Hans (June) Joens, Clinton. They have one grandson, Leo Russell Litscher, Lynwood, Calif.





## Home From Hawaii Islands

PRINCETON -- Mr. and Mrs. John Litscher have returned from Hawaii where they spent three weeks with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Litscher and 15 year old grandson, Leo.

They received special recognition when they boarded the 707 United Airlines at Chicago when they were presented with a large decorated cake with "Welcome aboard", because it was their first flight and have been married 56 years.

All the islands were represented at the Hawaiian

Culture Center they visited. They spent an evening with Don Ho at Polynesian Palace, Waikiki.

Hula dancing, leis and "home-grown" pineapples were special treats. Mrs. Litscher has her special lei in the refrigerator. It was presented by her family upon arrival and is made of white carnations and tied with red ribbons.





Mr. and Mrs. John Litscher

## *Golden Wedding*

**PRINCETON** — Sunday, Oct. 30, will mark the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Litscher, lifelong residents of the Princeton area.

Open house will be held from 2 until 6 p.m. in Kernan's Supper club at Princeton, and a family dinner will be held later that evening.

Miss Irma Russell and John Litscher were married Oct. 30, 1916, in the parsonage of St. John's Methodist church in Davenport with Dr. Frank Court officiating. They farmed in the McCausland area before he began working as a Scott county engineer, retiring five years ago. Mrs. Litscher is a past noble grand of Echo Rebekah lodge.

Attending the celebration will be their children, Russell John of Lynnwood, Calif.; and Mrs. Hans (June) Joens of Clinton. They have one grandson, Leo R. Litscher.





*Shirley & Lyle Smith.*



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AIR  
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Erma Litscher  
Box 4  
Princeton, Iowa



Hi Erma,

Got your letter yesterday and thought I'd better get on the ball and get some writing done. Hope yours are fine. Say hi to John for me. We've had an earthquake about 300 miles from here. I guess quite a few Arabs bit the dust. Waaaa I know I shouldn't say this but, I could care less if the whole damn bunch get shook to death. You couldn't imagine what these people are like. They are still living as they did 300 years ago and don't even try to progress. They even spit at you when you are down town and its all a guy can do to keep from belting one of 'em now and then.

(over)



Well I don't know what else to write,  
that I haven't already ~~and~~ written to my  
mom. But I thought I better write  
you a few lines. Say hi too merna I.  
for me if you her. OK you go right ahead  
and read my letters I write to mom cause  
I know you two are good "Pals". Ha Ha

Write when you  
have time, always  
glad to hear from  
home.

← Damned ole pen. Ha Ha

~~\_\_\_\_\_~~  
Sincerely John

Bye for  
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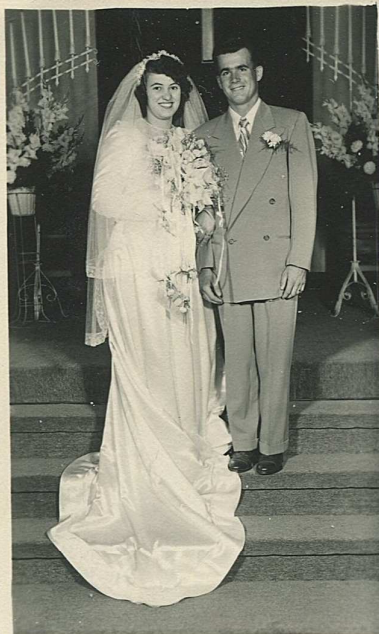
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My Brother-in-law took  
these when we were  
home at matches. Not so  
bad. I'll make you  
would like one.





We thank you  
for the wedding gift  
Though words cannot express  
How much your kind remembrance  
Adds to our new happiness!

Wale & Madean

Alice & Al Price



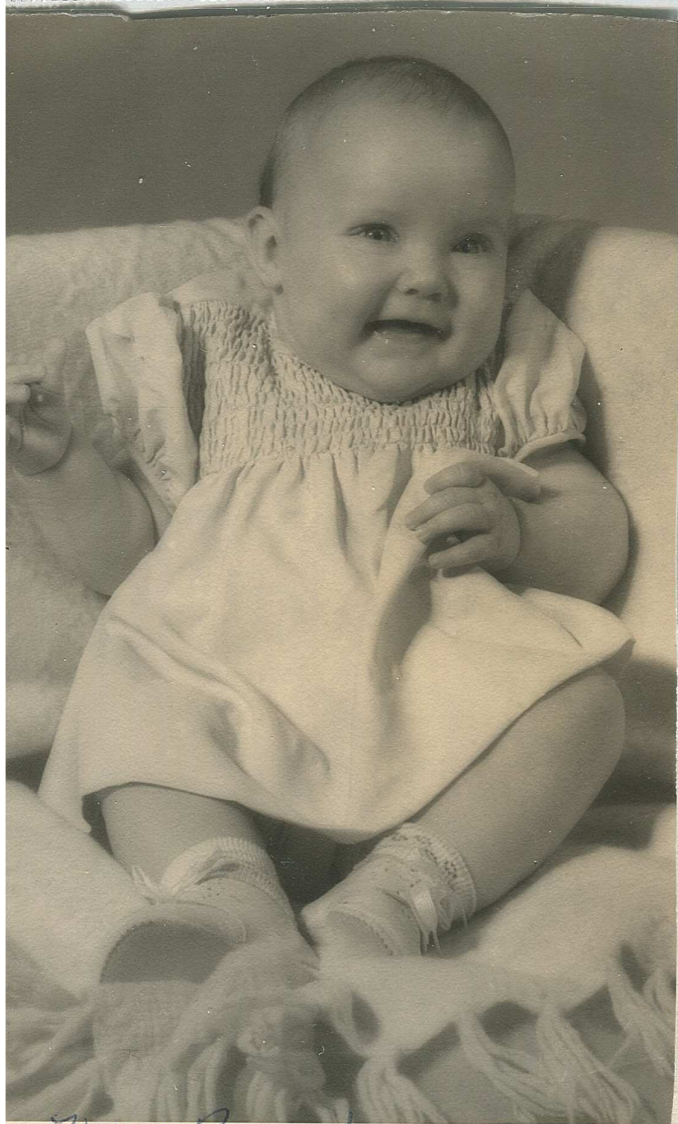
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Patty Hledly





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March 15, 1962. 4 Generations - Gail's Wedding.



Memo, Dad & Sister - Gail

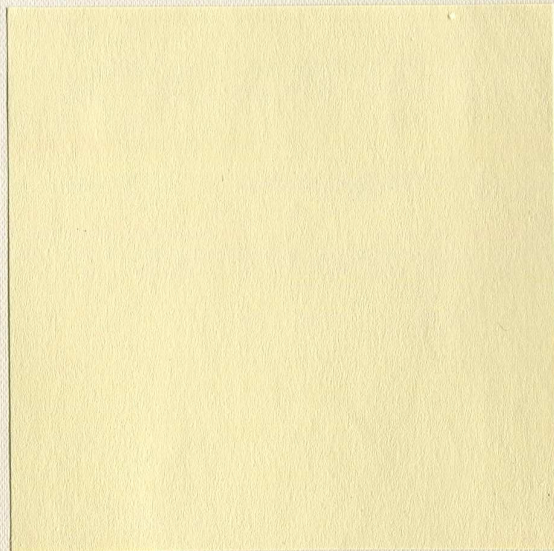
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Gail's Wedding. Aunt. March 15.





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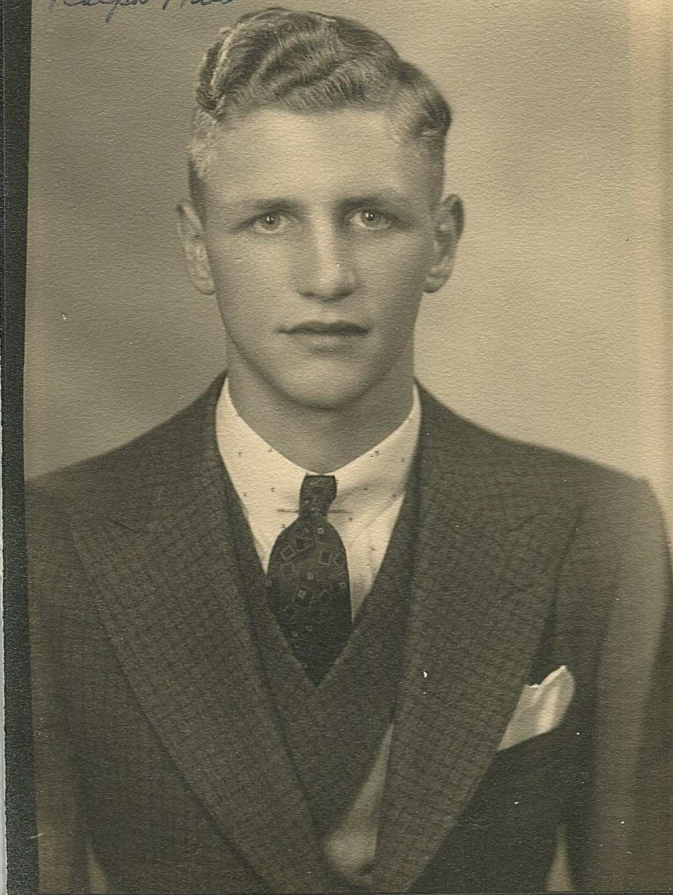
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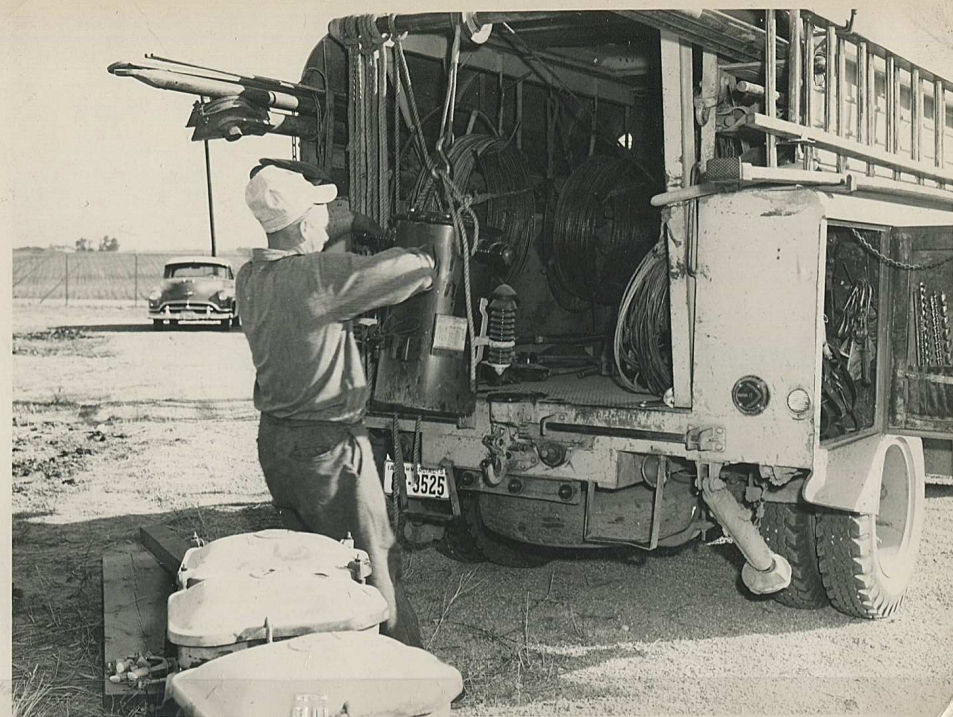
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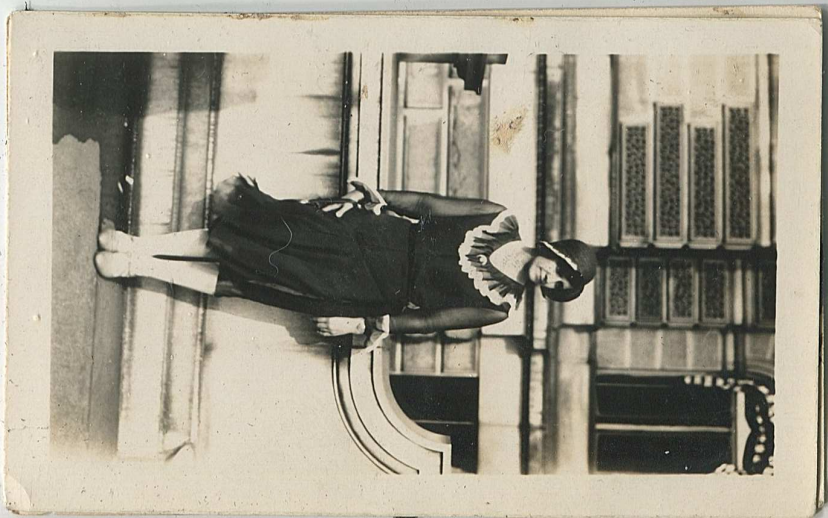


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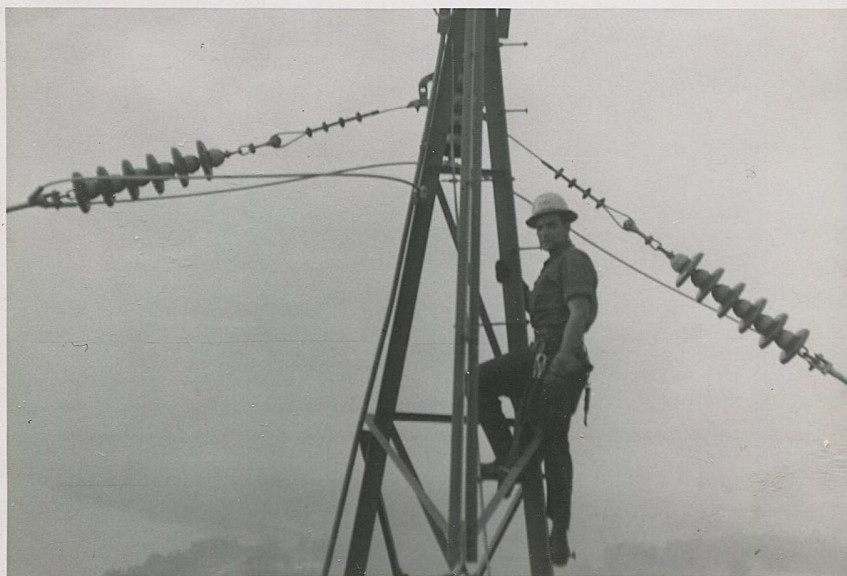




JOHN GILBERT - ON RIVER CROSSING TOWER



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PAULA & IRENE Boege









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Paul Benson

Irene Boege.



Paula Boege  
Le Claire, Iowa  
B. B. #1  
Birthday: February  
54, 1935  
Phone 120 Arg



Ramona - Lape



Irene Boege

Paula Boege  
Nov. 1956  
12 years

Paul & Helen Benson.

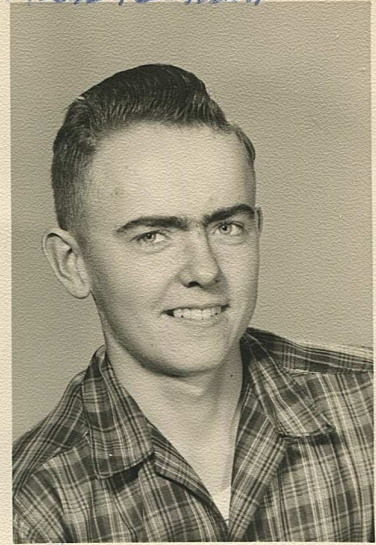




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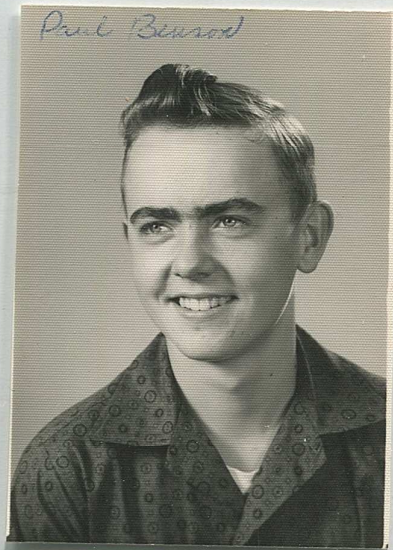
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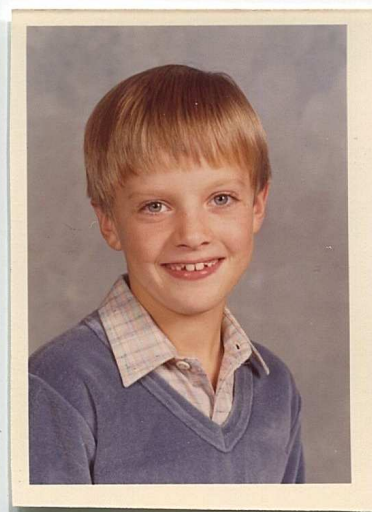
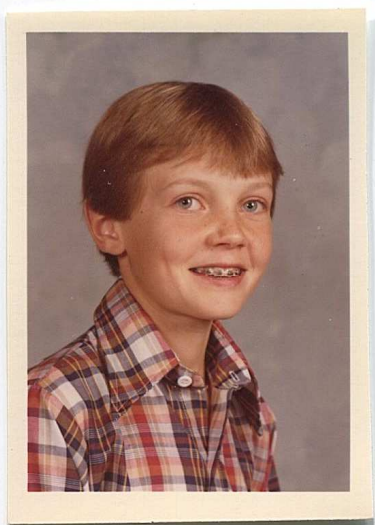




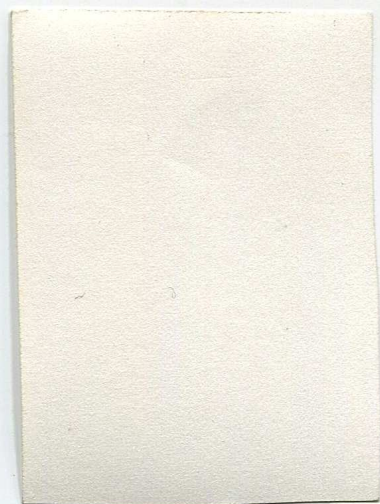
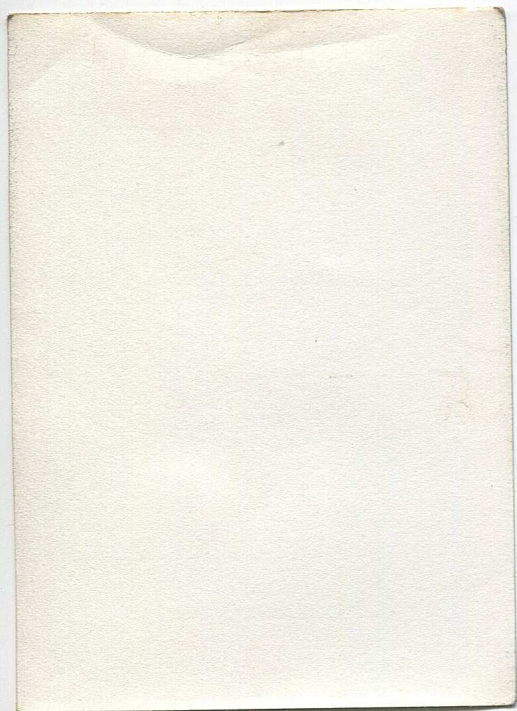
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*June Boege*  
*Nov. 1956*  
*11 years*









Jeff 11  
6<sup>th</sup> grade

Amey 10  
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Kevin 9  
4<sup>th</sup> grade







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